

**CHILD MALTREATMENT INVESTIGATION PROTOCOL AND TRAINING:  
FATAL AND SEVERE NON-FATAL PROGRAM  
Component: 50.20.902, 40.20.902**

**PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

This program funds one agency, Inter-Agency Council on Child Abuse and Neglect (ICAN), to develop and implement a core protocol for the investigation of fatal and severe non-fatal child maltreatment. This protocol will provide assistance to the agents investigating maltreatment cases so they may better understand the dynamics of the offense, as well as enhance networking by increasing communication, coordination, and collaboration on these serious cases.

**FUNDS AWARDED**

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Types of Funding</u>	<u>Total Funding</u>
FY 2008/09	Children's Justice Act (CJA) FFY 2007	\$ 150,000
FY 2009/10	Children's Justice Act (CJA) FFY 2008	\$ 150,000
FY 2010/11	<b>Program ended December 31, 2009</b>	\$ 0

**2008/09 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS**

Publication of the Multi-Agency Identification and Investigation of Severe Nonfatal and Fatal Child Injury: Guidelines for Networking, Communication and Collaboration were printed for distribution to interested parties, including members of multidisciplinary teams, expert consultants, Executive Oversight Committee Members, Advisory Board Members and others.

The guidelines have been made accessible electronically to professionals throughout the State of California by posting on the ICAN website: [www.ican-ncfr.org](http://www.ican-ncfr.org) and [www.ican4kids.org](http://www.ican4kids.org)

Continued field testing of the Guidelines with selected agencies, including hospitals, child protective services, and law enforcement.

Design and implementation of an evaluation tool for survey and field testing and tracking of statistical information for hospitals participating in the program is ongoing.

**2009/10 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS**

Not Available

**2010/11 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS**

**Program ended December 31, 2009**